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IN A ROOF TRUSS OR A FLOOR JOIST
ART UNIT : 3635
EXAMINER : BASIL S. KATCHEVES

AMENDMENT

TO: ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF
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SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action dated May 28, 2002, kindly
amend the above identified application as follows:

In the claims, kindly substitute amended Claims 1 and 2,
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